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SUBJECT: CHOU EN-LAI'S DEATH

1. WHITE HOUSE RELEASED FOLLOWING STATEMENT BY THE
PRESIDENT JANUARY 8.

2. BEGIN TEXT

PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI WILL BE LONG REMEMBERED AS A
REMARKABLE LEADER WHO HAS LEFT HIS IMPRINT NOT ONLY ON
THE HISTORY OF MODERN CHINA BUT ALSO ON THE WORLD SCENE.

WE AMERICANS WILL REMEMBER HIM ESPECIALLY FOR THE
ROLE HE PLAYED IN BUILDING A NEW RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN
THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA AND THE UNITED STATES. WE
ARE CONFIDENT THAT THIS RELATIONSHIP WILL CONTINUE TO
DEVELOP ON THE FOUNDATION OF UNDERSTANDING AND COOPERATION
WHICH HE HELPED TO ESTABLISH.

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THE UNITED STATES OFFERS ITS CONDOLENCES TO THE

GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA.
END TEXT. KISSINGER

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